SCHOOL READY LIBRARIES LINK UP: INTRODUCTION TO FRYSC'S

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Purpose of Study



Commissioned by the Kentucky Department for Libraries and Archives and funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services with the cooperation and collaboration of the University of Kentucky to create a project to improve the school readiness knowledge and skills of public library staff.

Project Impact

- □ Transform practice
- Build greater skills & abilities in staff
- Contribute to results that will benefit diverse constituencies
- Adoption & Replication



Presenter Overview

- □ FRYSC Mission & State Goals
 - Carol Leggett, Cabinet for Health and Family Services
- Public Library Partnerships in Practice
 - Elizabeth Crawford, Youth Services Coordinator, Boyd County Public Library
 - J.C. Morgan, Director, Campbell County Public Library
- Discussion/Questions
- □ Wrap-up & CE Reminders



Creating Partnerships for Student Success

Cabinet for Health and Family Services



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FRYSC: Mission

To create and sustain partnerships that promote:

Early Learning and Successful Transition Into School

Academic Achievement and Wellbeing Graduation and Successful Transition Into Adult Life

Number of Centers – FY '18

Family Resource Centers

 Serve Elementary Schools

Youth Services Centers

 Serve Middle & **High Schools**

Combined Centers

 Serve Elementary, Middle and/or **High Schools**

$$Total = 421$$

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 $Total = 266$ $Total = 124$

Total Centers: 811 serving 1175 schools

FRYSC: Core Components

Family Resource Centers

- Preschool child care
- After-school child day care
- Families in training
- Family literacy services
- Health services and referrals

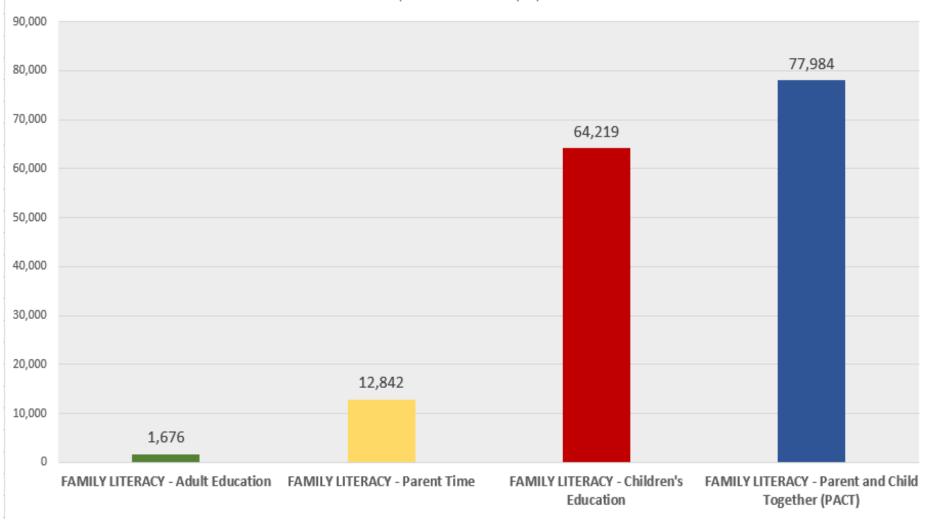
Youth Services Centers

- Referrals to health and social services
- Career exploration and development
- Summer and part-time job development (HS only)
- Substance abuse education and counseling
- Family crisis and mental health counseling

Combined centers must meet all Components

FRYSC Family Literacy Group Interventions 2015-16

(source: Infinite Campus)



Public Library and FRYSC Partnerships

- Summer programs (Summer Reading at the library and/or using bookmobile at school sites)
- Born Learning programs
- Kindergarten readiness events such as Ready, Set Go, (ASQ screenings (Ages and Stages Questionnaires) for birth to 5 year old; Brigance Night at the library to give them results. Teachers attend to speak 1-on-1 with parents
- Bookmobile at the Summer Feeding Program sites
- Science to Go Oldham Co.
- FRYSC Community Baby Showers
- Relatives as Parents group; guardians meet in the community room and the children attend "reading round up" - Woodford Co. FRC
- Serving on FRYSC Advisory Councils
- Family Literacy Nights/Family Reading Nights storytelling; talking to parents
- Back to school events
- After school programming at the public library or at school (bookmobile visits)

Working with Family and Youth Resource Centers

Elizabeth Crawford Youth Services Supervisor, Boyd County Public Library

How are services has changed

- More outreach
- Pushing online resources such as Tumblebooks, TrueFlix, BookFlix and databases
- Ordering books to fit the needs (school projects, special interest, whole class reading the same book)
- More money spent on printing materials
- More conversation and communication between us and the public schools (main goal!)

How we want to move forward

- Continue outreach to the centers that have preschools.
- Use them as our entryway into schools we still can't get in.
- Invite them to a round table meeting at our public library to discuss what they still would like to see us do for students across Boyd County.
- Create a monthly newsletter specifically for FYRC Directors, teachers, school librarians and principals with their input on items to include.
- Become a partner in education with the FYRC and schools across the county.

DROP YOUR DRAWERS!

@ your library

JC Morgan, Library Director jcmorgan@cc-pl.org



First Question: Why?

There are many barriers for a child in the learning environment.

Many are beyond our help or control.

We can help with underwear.





Second question: Why?

Libraries and schools seem like a natural fit. They aren't.





Third question: Why?

Because we need the publicity. (And we don't go viral like grumpy cats.)





Is there really a need?

Some of our schools give out 10 pairs of underwear a day.

One school had given out its last pair of new underwear the day that I dropped off its allotment from our last campaign....with five months of school to go.

More kids than you'd believe have no idea where they will be sleeping tonight.

(So...um...yes.)



But how did it come to this?







Will it be successful?

It's sort of like that starfish.





But.....

- One local manufacturer donated \$100...which bought about 80 pairs of underwear.
- One lady bought 185 pairs of underwear...because her granddaughter suffered with a bladder problem that had to be medically corrected.
- One local Montessori made collection a school-wide project.
- One local charitable group made Drop Your Drawers their giving campaign and collected enough funds for 372 pairs of underwear.
- Leadership Northern Kentucky made Drop Your Drawers their class giving project.
- And I'm getting to talk to you and you (hopefully) are concerned about the problem and will help eliminate it.



And....

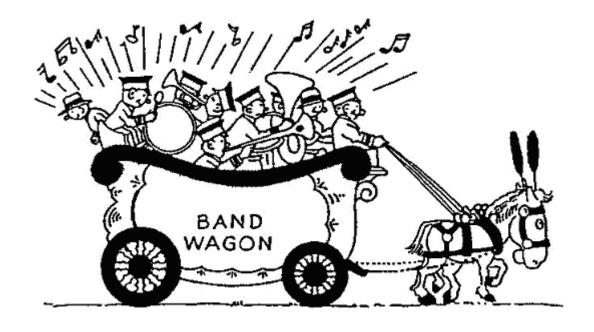
27,000 is a pretty good number.

Our own number was about 6900.

So...6900 divided by 14 elementary schools equals about 500 pairs for each school.



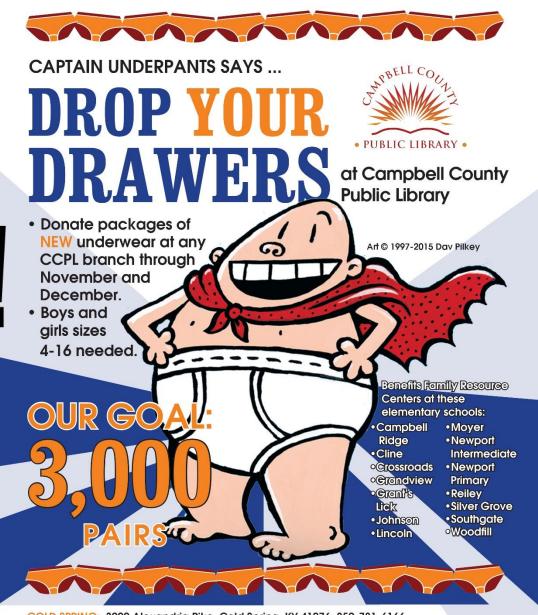
So...how do I get on board?



And will I get cool stuff?







permission to use the Captain Underpants image and you can't use our logo and it won't include the names of Campbell County schools and your goal for number of pairs to be donated might be different ...but... other than that it will be vaguely similar to this one. Oh...and you'll have to pay for your own printing.

But...we have to get

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www.cc-pl.org/drop-your-drawers

AREALLY COOL COUNTING BOARD!



(We use a little picture of underwear to fill in blanks as groups of ten are donated.)



Campbell County Public Library News Release

For Immediate Release October 27, 2015

Contact: Kiki Dreyer Burke 859-781-6166, ext. 11

FIRST DRAFT

Drop Your Drawers @ the Library

WHAT Drop Your Drawers is a campaign asking for donations of packages of

new underwear for children in all public elementary schools in Campbell

County. New packages of boys and girls underwear in sizes 4-16 are

desperately at local elementary schools.

WHY The donations will help replenish the schools' supplies of emergency

underpants and provide direct assistance to families affiliated with each

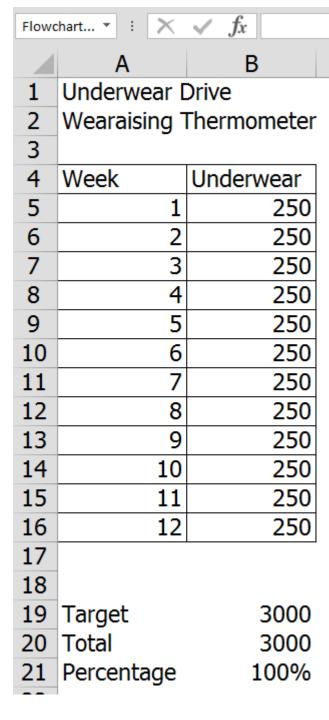
school's Family Resource Centers. The need is great. Children who

have accidents at school miss learning time in the classroom as parents

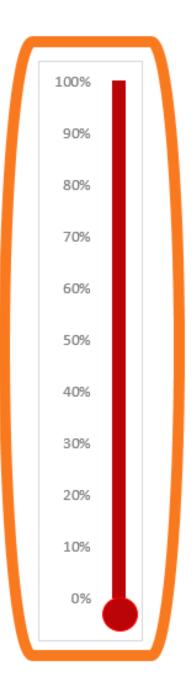
often are unable to bring fresh underwear to their children during school

hours. Schools are handing out 30-80 pair of underwear a month!

WHEN November 1 – December 31, 2015



AN EXCEL FILE THAT GENERATES THIS IMAGE!





STICKERS!!

(Okay. It's really just one sticker...but you could have a lot printed and then it would be STICKERS!)



What if we don't like the name?

Hi, I don't care. Thanks.



Just use a different name...

Need Your Knickers, for example.



(My wife)
Came up
with that)
one.



And...even better...

Kids will have underwear.

Clean underwear.

Underwear that fits.

Replacement underwear for accidents.

Because having underwear...admittedly...is a good thing.









More information? Same place.

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Administration

A Practical Guide to the Open Meetings Act - Amye L. Bensenhaver from the Office of the Attorney General gives an overview of Kentucky's Open Meetings Act focusing on general requirements of, recent developments in, and practice pointers for, the Act. (1-15-14)

Basics of Kentucky Public Library Certification - Does the very thought of certification send chills up and down your spine? Does it make you want to hide under your desk and never come out? There's no need to fear! Join KDLA's CE Consultants for this webinar where we'll dispel the rumors and put your fears to rest. Topics covered will include initial certification and renewal, correctly filling out Annual Summations and Learning Activity Reports, and what constitutes proper documentation for an activity. (10-7-15) Certification PDF

Close Encounters of the Library Kind - Do you ever speak to a politician or community leader? Afterward, do you remember all the things that you wish you said about your library? Join Judith Gibbons, Library Advocate, for some tips and techniques to help you be prepared for those brief moments with local, state, and national leaders. (5-18-15)

Counting the Beans and Covering Your Rear - hiring an auditor and an attorney for the library - Today, every library should have an auditor and an attorney - it just makes good business sense. However finding one which is suitable for the library is far from easy. This workshop will cover the qualifications you should seek in both an attorney and an auditor, and what you should expect from these two professionals. There will be time for questions. (4-2-15)

Essentials for Inclusion - This training is an introduction to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Jennifer Hicks, the State ADA Coordinator, will cover sensitivity, employment, service animals, and other ADA topics. (9-22-15)

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This webinar will be recorded and posted at:

http://kdla.ky.gov/librarians/staffdevelopment/Pages/KDLAArchivedWebinars.aspx

Please visit our School Ready Libraries Project Website at:

http://kdla.ky.gov/librarians/programs/Pages/SchoolReady.aspx

KDLA School Ready Libraries

In partnership with the University of Kentucky Human Development Institute, School Ready Libraries is a three-year project that seeks to develop a comprehensive approach to providing Kentucky public library staff with the training and skills needed to implement successful school readiness programming. Through this project, KDLA hopes to provide access to essential knowledge of early childhood development that can be used as a foundation for future development and practical application of public library services and community collaborations.

For more information about the grant, visit the following links:

- · Project Abstract
- · Archived School Ready Libraries Link-Up Webinars

Early Childhood Development Modules

Module 1: Cognitive Development has been revised and relaunched in a new system. To take the course for the first time or as a refresher, please view our instructions for registering and navigating through the course.



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If you have questions concerning youth library services, please contact:

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Thursday, November 2, 2017
School Ready Libraries Link Up: Introduction to Head Start

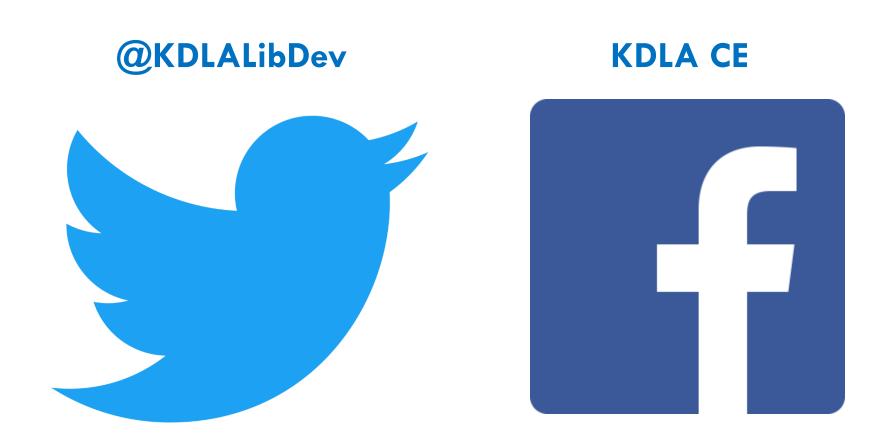
KDLA Listservs

For Public Library Youth Services Librarians & Staff:

- **KYAC** is a discussion list devoted to those who work with children and teens in the library. By using this LISTSERV®, individuals from around the state will have the chance to ask questions, share ideas, voice concerns, and make valuable contacts all through their e-mail.
- TO SUBSCRIBE: To join the list, send email with the subject "KYAC" to Krista.King-Oaks@ky.gov. In the body of the message, list your name and the name of your library. You will be emailed instructions for posting to this moderated discussion list.
- See the KDLA website for more information on our many listservs –
 for technology, adult services, bookmobile/outreach, & more!

http://kdla.ky.gov/librarians/staffdevelopment/Pages/listservs.aspx

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Thank you for attending today's webinar!

Contact us!

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Save the date!

- Visit us at KLA 2017!
 - School Readiness
 Roundtable, Thursday,
 April 21st, 6 p.m.

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